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As knowledge increases, wonder deepens.
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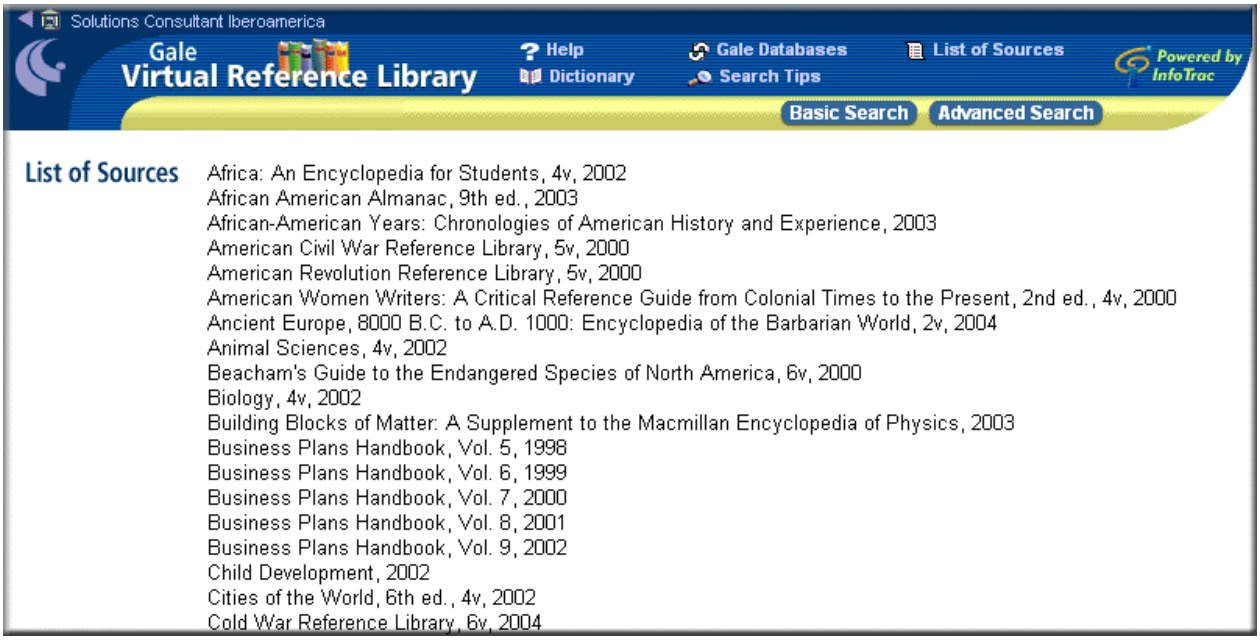
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2. Tipos de Búsqueda

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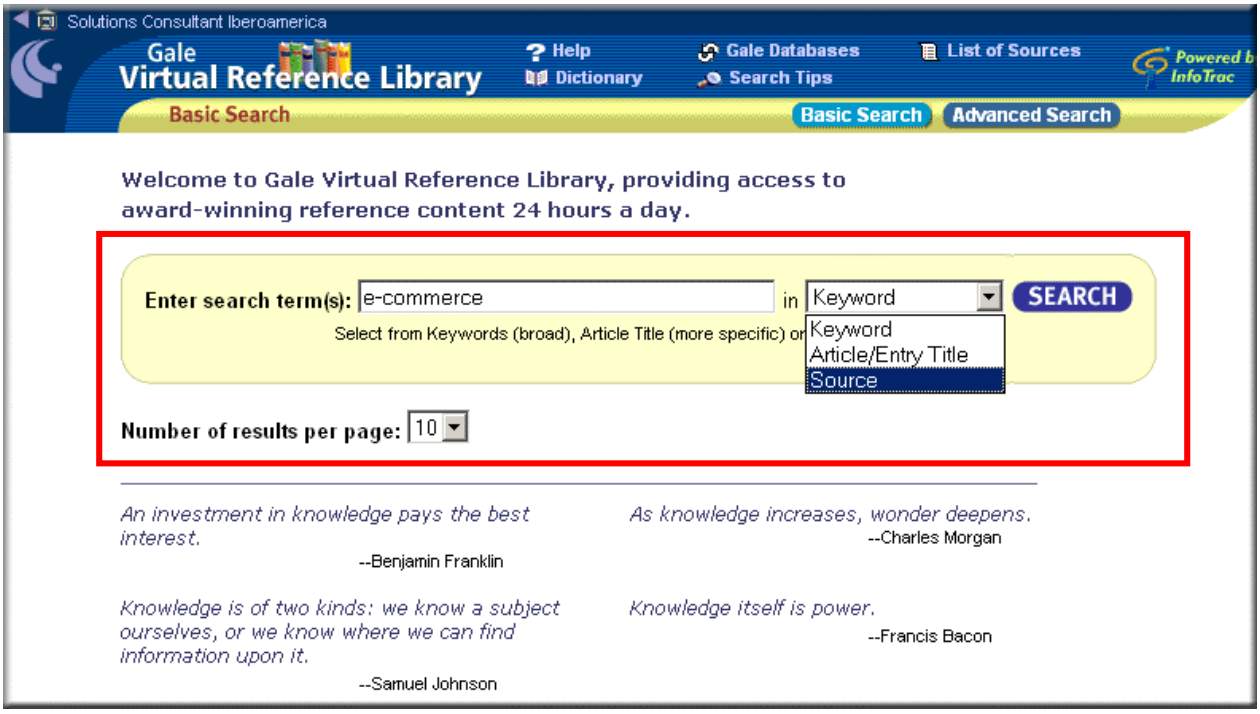
Basic Search le permite realizar búsquedas en la base de datos utilizando palabras clave, o términos específicos, solo escríbalo en la caja de texto indicada y haga clic en el botón “Search”. Puede seleccionar si la búsqueda será realizada por artículo, por palabra clave o por alguna fuente en específico. Las búsquedas siempre le darán como resultado, artículos en texto completo.



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- Título del artículo.
- Fuente.
- Volumen.
- Edición.
- Editorial.
- Año de publicación.

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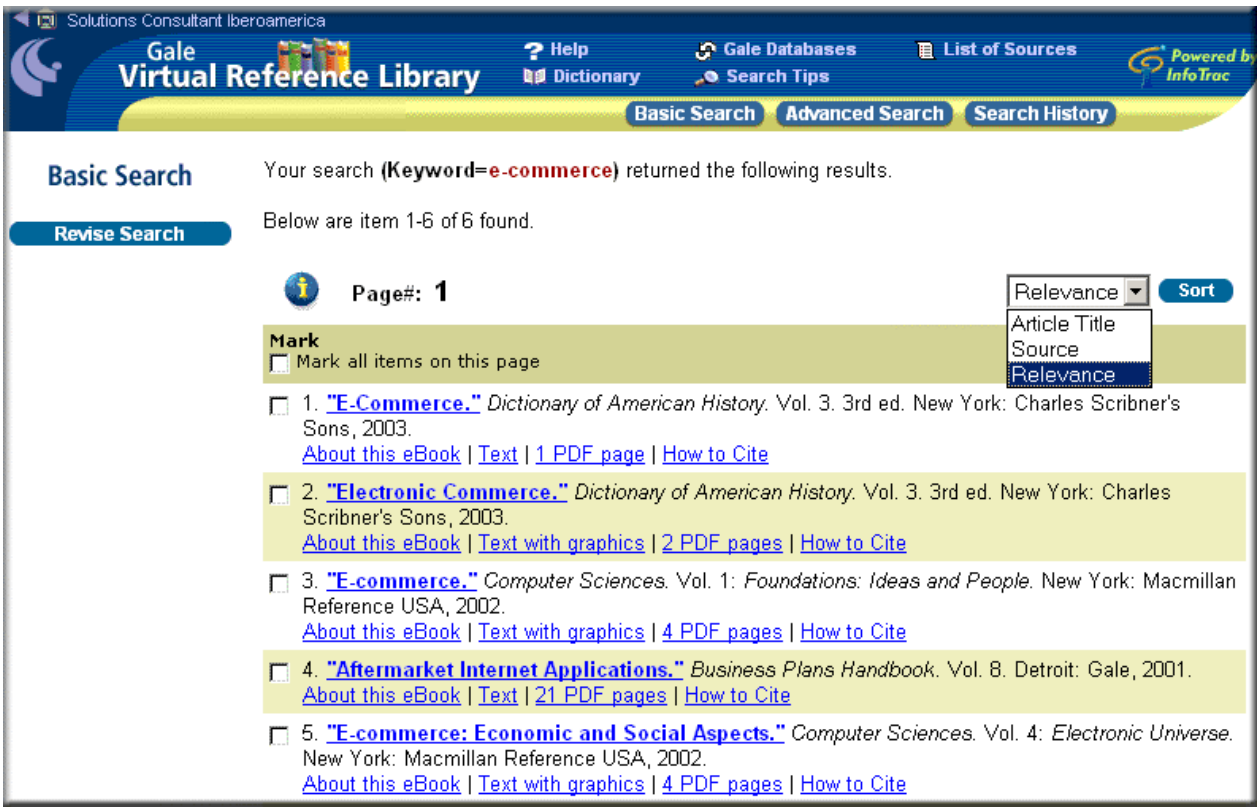
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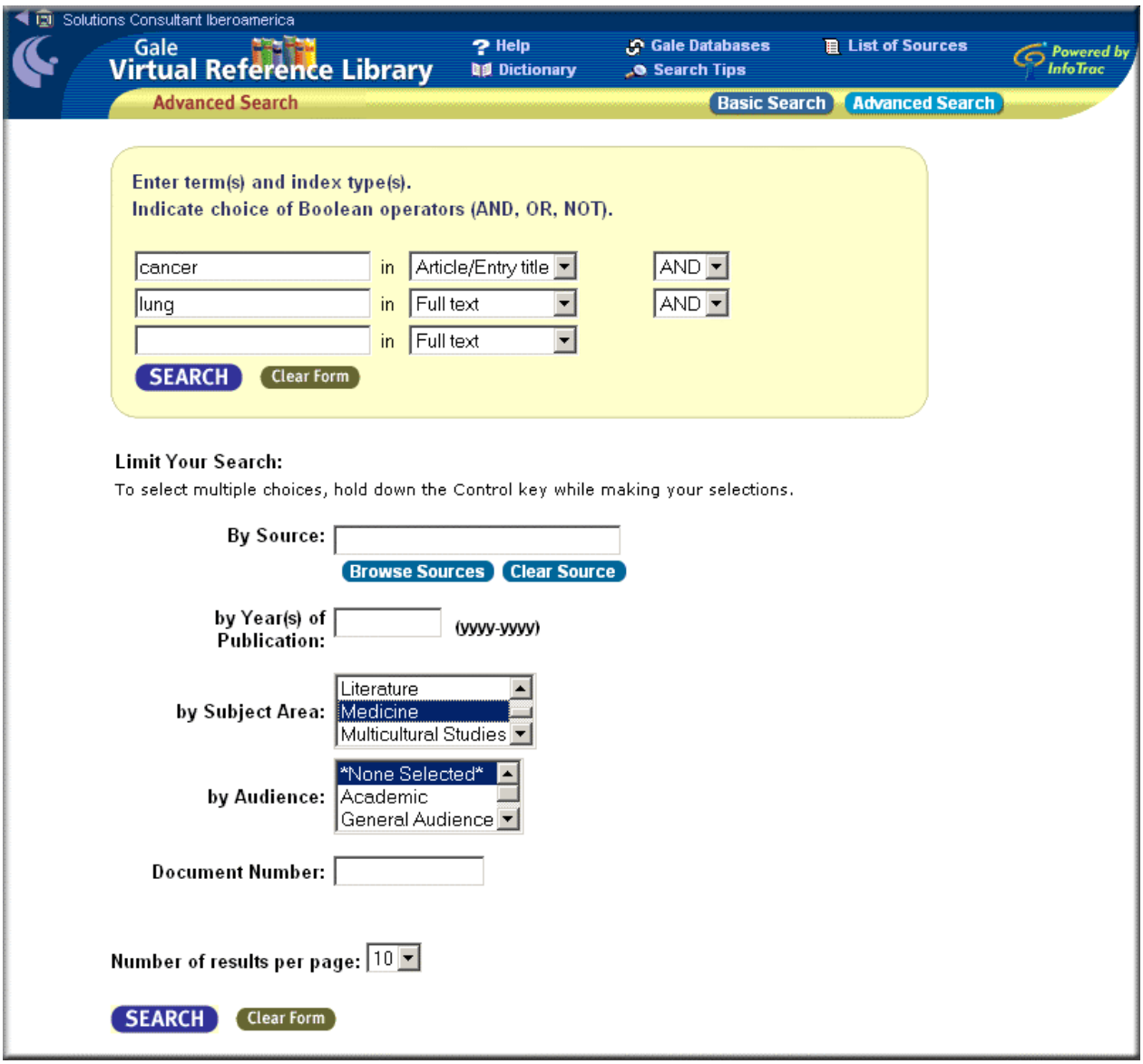

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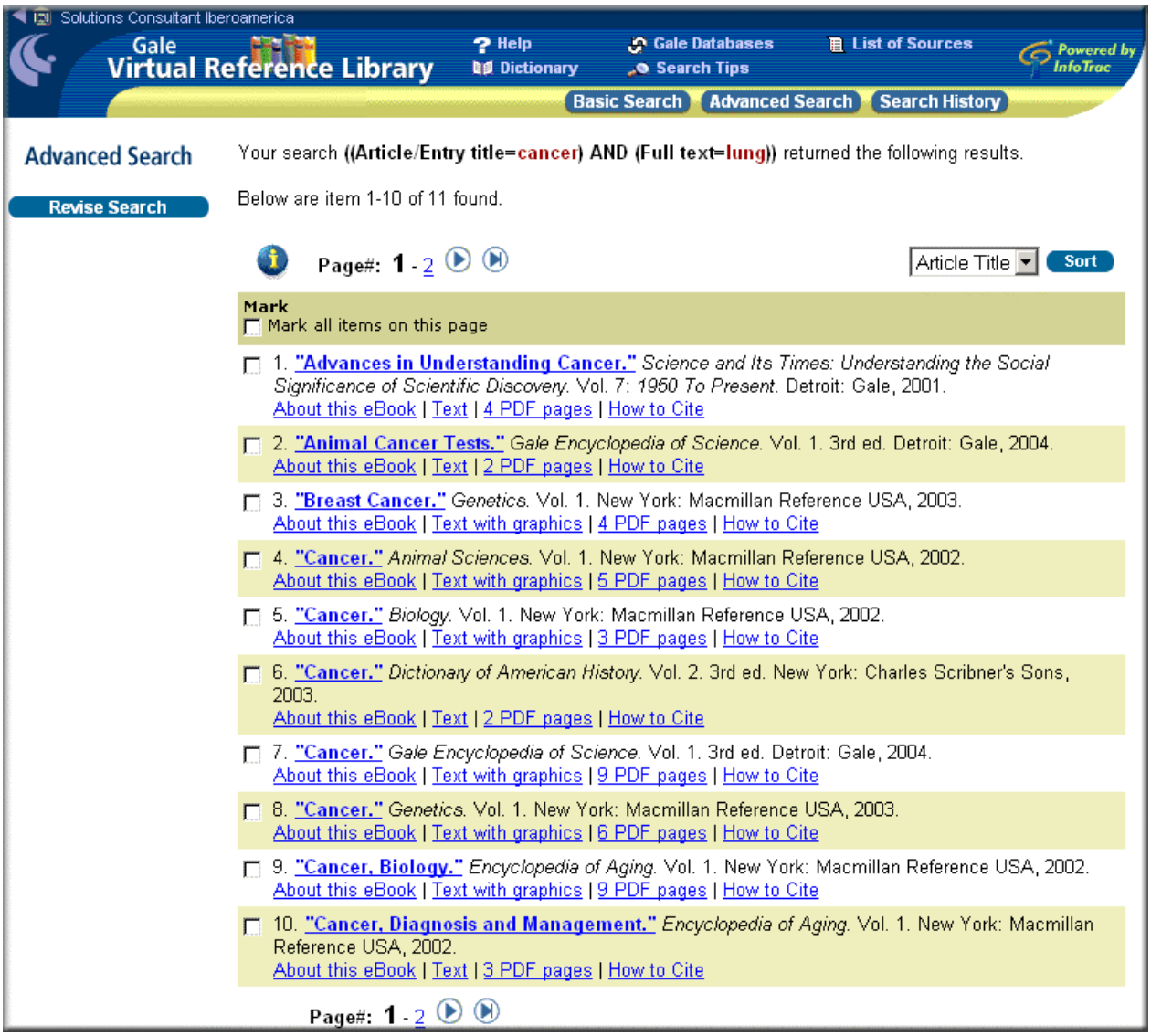
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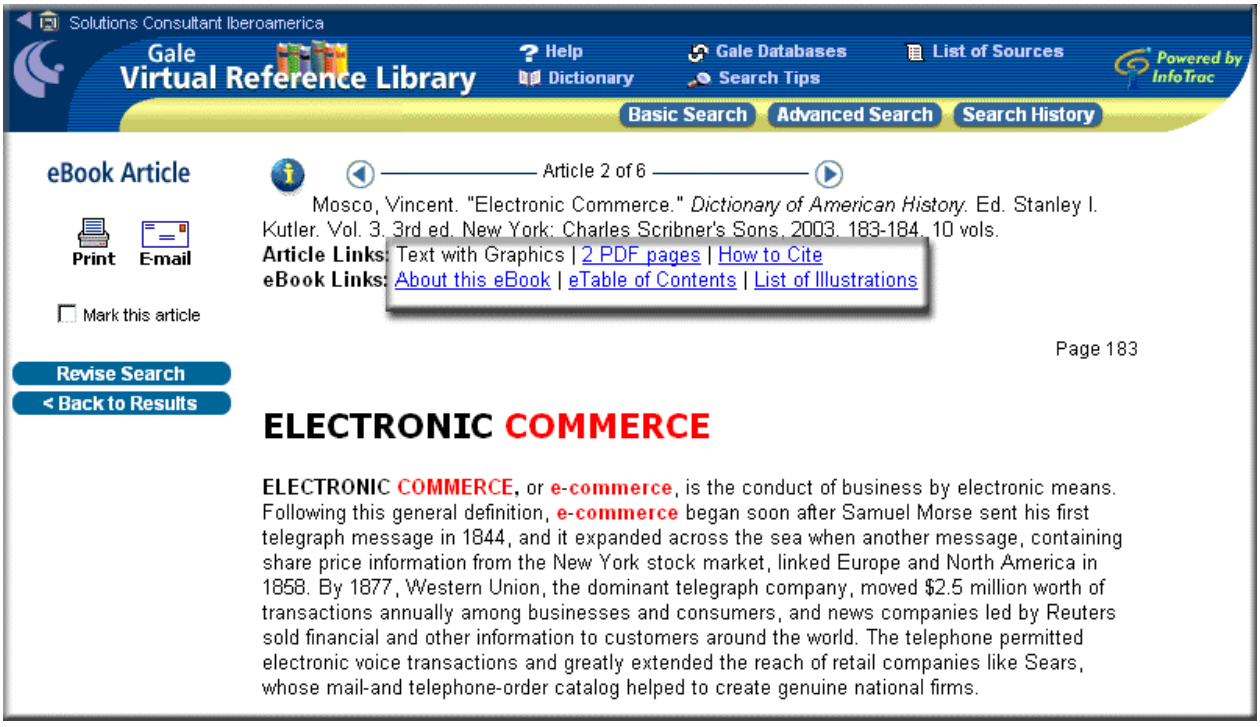
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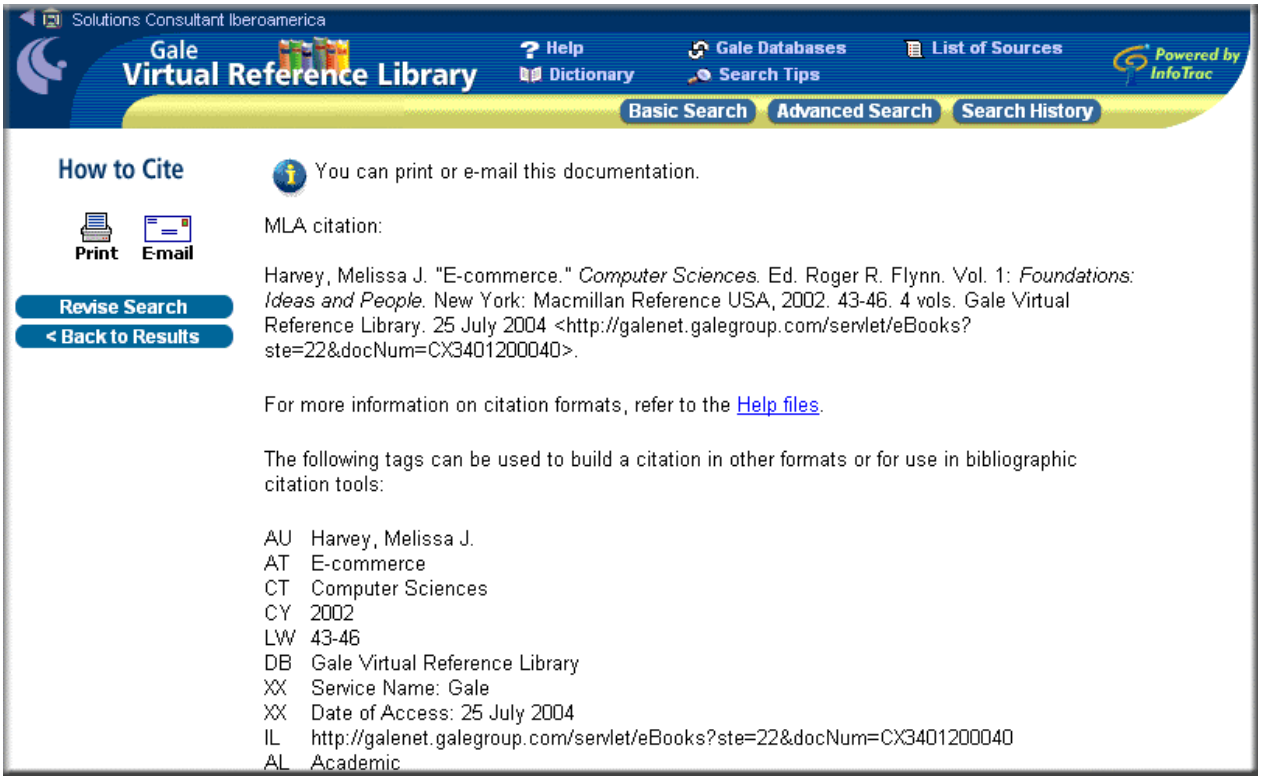
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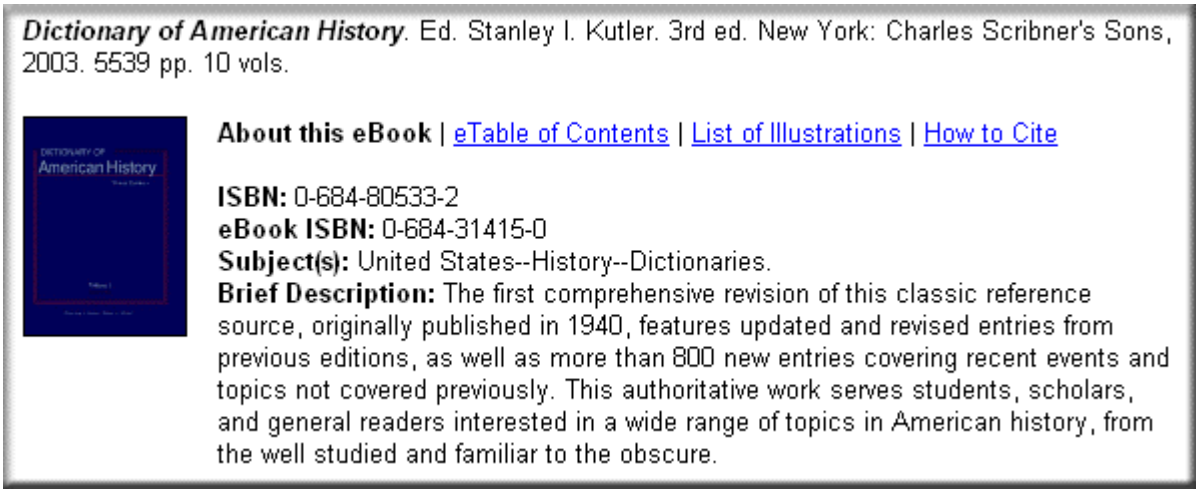
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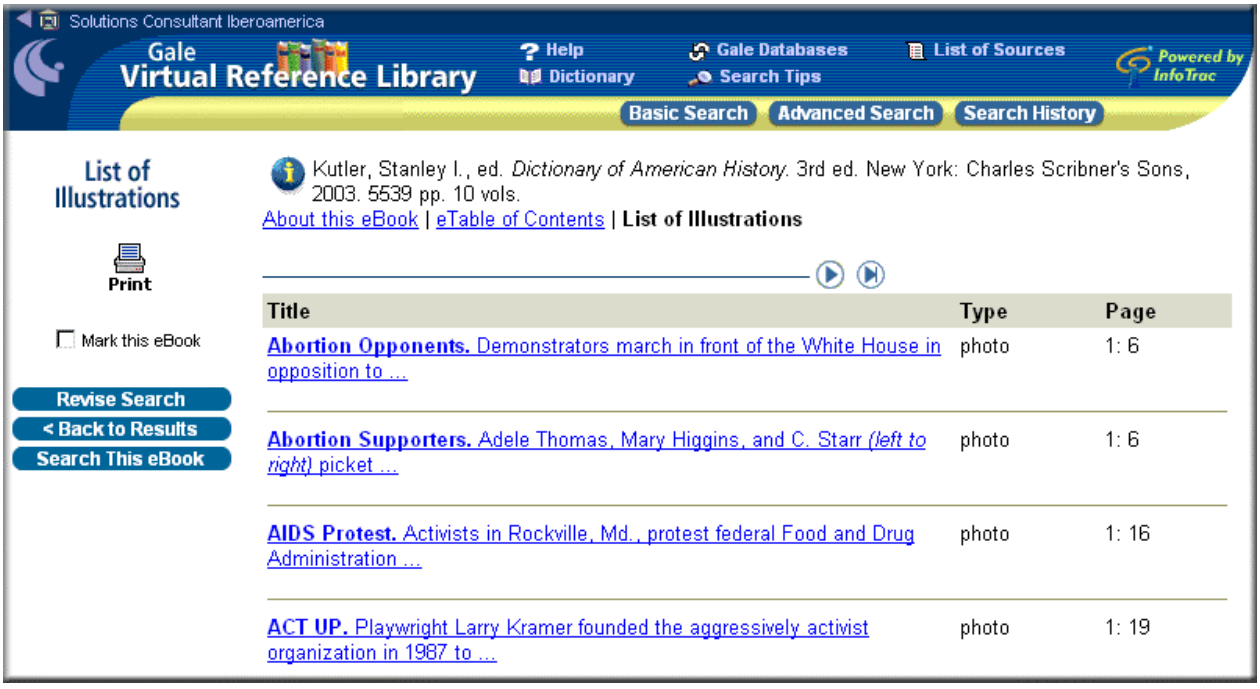
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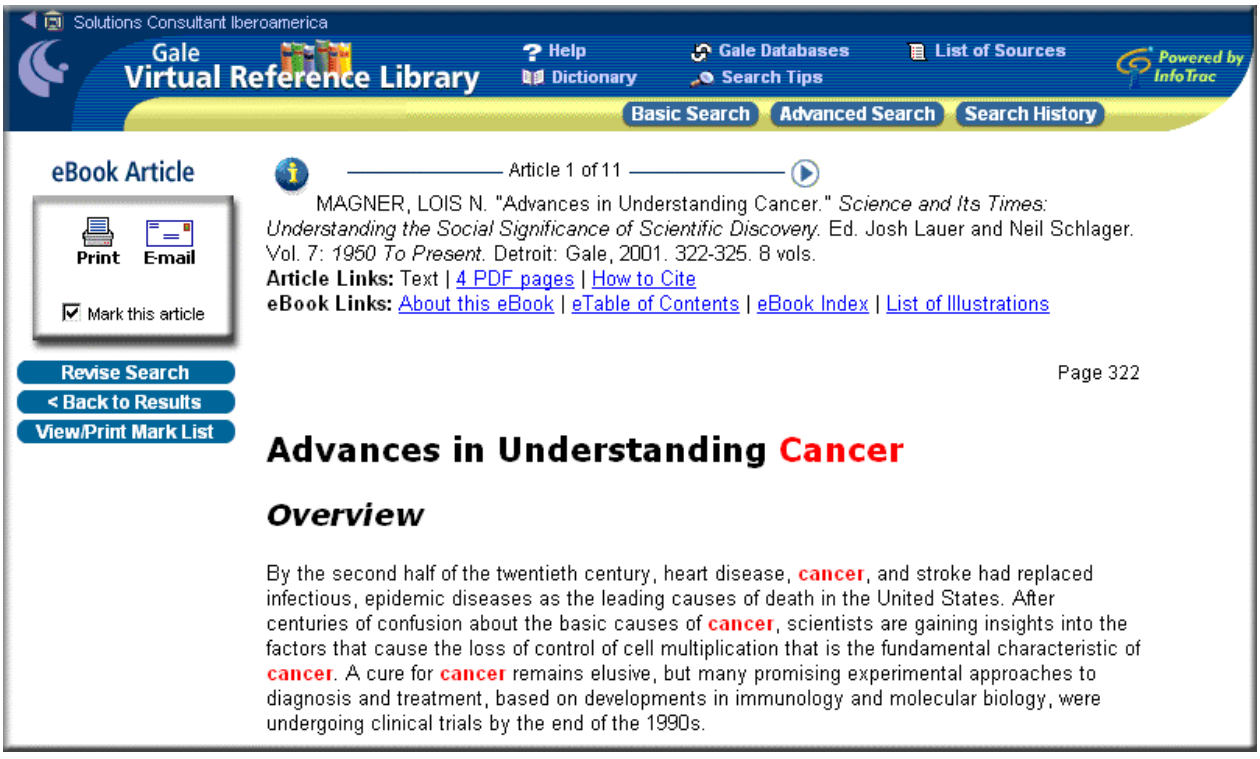
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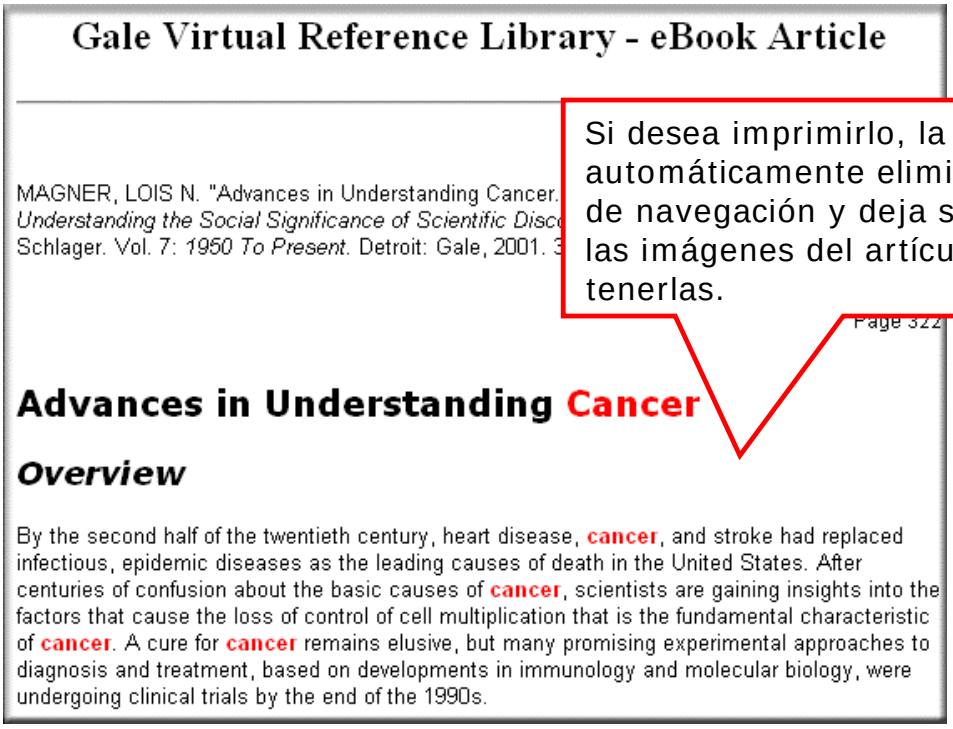
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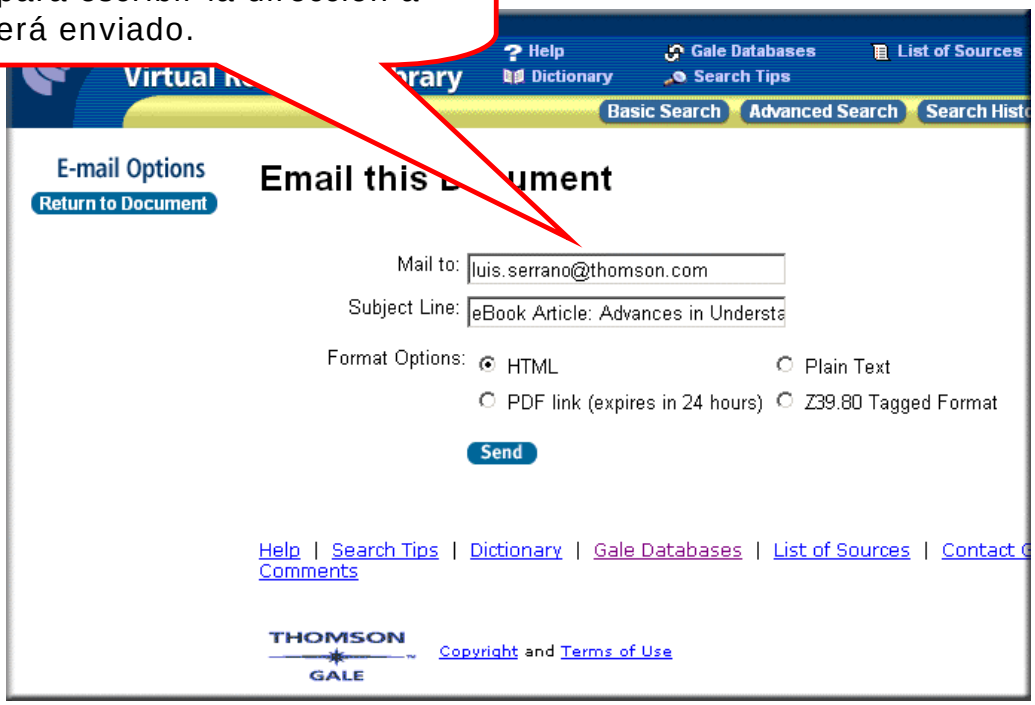

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- Ahorrar tiempo.
- Compartir información.
- Actualizar información.
- Crear foros de discusión.
- Mantener a todos con la misma información.
- Crear búsquedas avanzadas y realizarlas nuevamente días, semanas o meses después.
- Crear listas de lecturas.

5.1 Pasos para crear un Info Mark.

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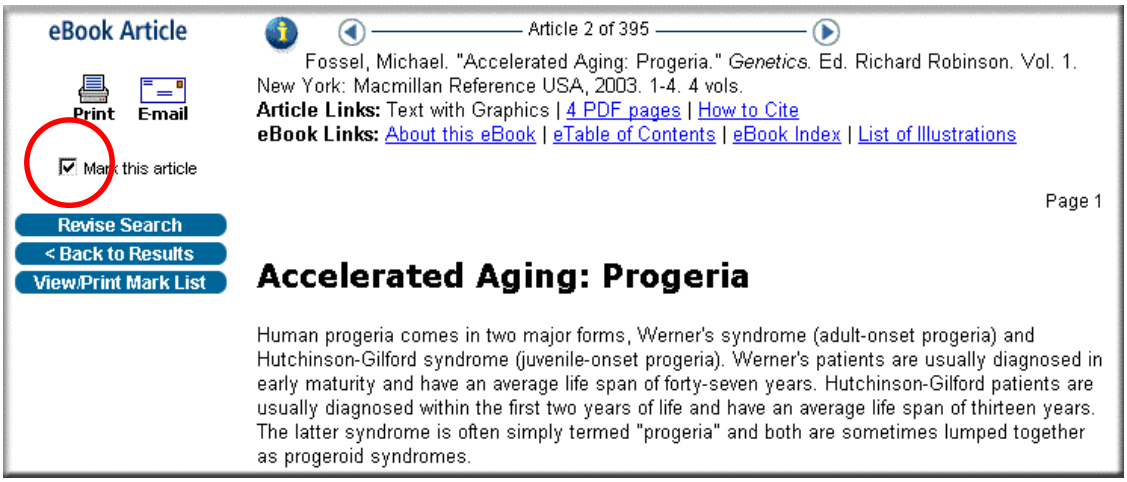
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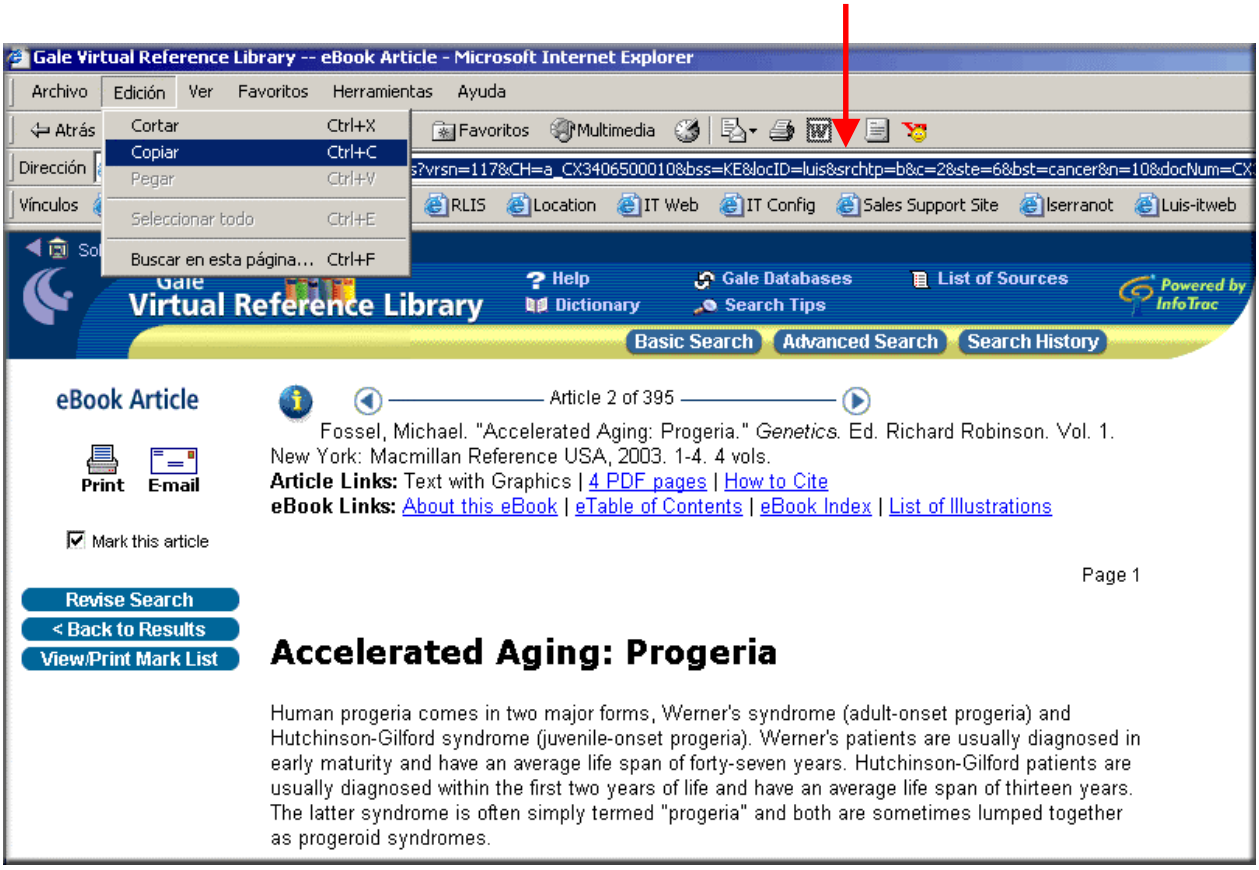
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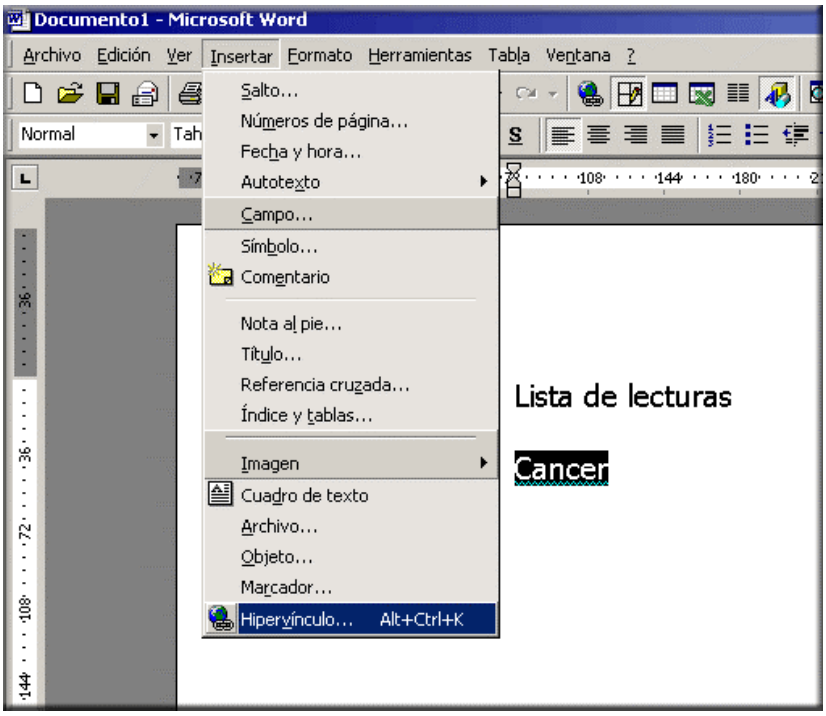

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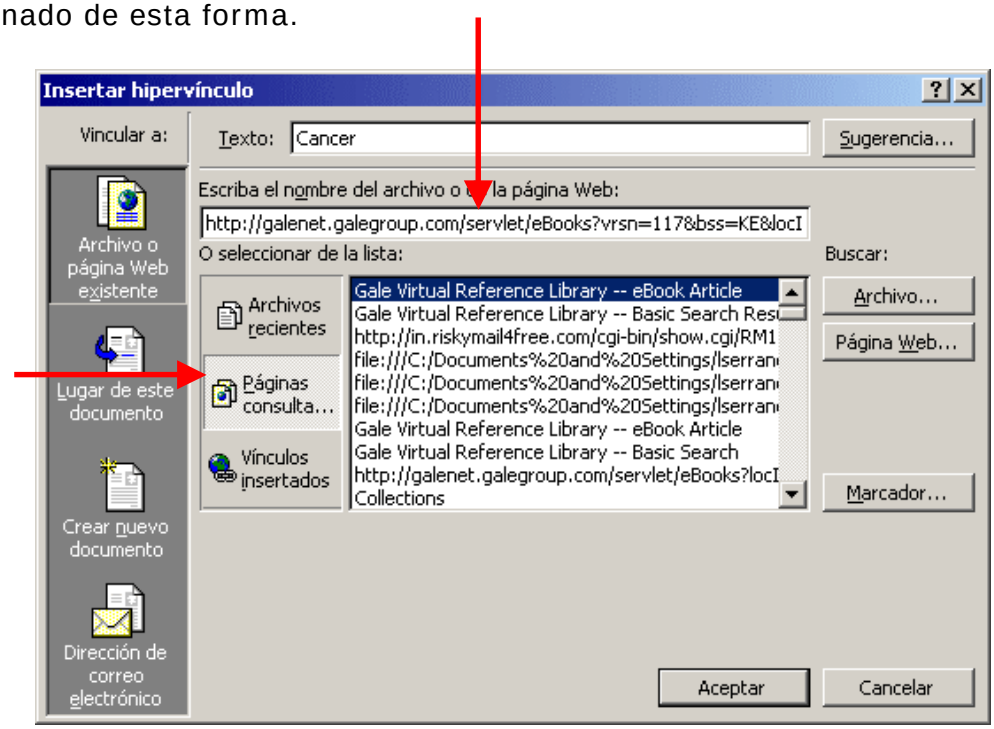

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